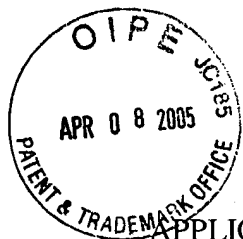


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This Response is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment mailed March 29, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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